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SUBJECT: CALCUTTA EAC MEETING JULY 14, 2006

REF: A) STATE 115373 B) CALCUTTA 299

- 11. (SBU) In response to ref. A, on July 14 post convened an EAC meeting to discuss the local security implications of escalating hostilities between Israel and Hezbollah.
- 12. (SBU) The Consulate has received no information indicating the possibility of violent protests or threats in Calcutta or elsewhere in the consular district. The EAC decided not to issue a warden message and will continue to monitor the situation.
- 13. (SBU) Local reaction to the events detailed in ref. A has been negligible. Increasing hostilities in the Middleast could prompt peaceful demonstrations similar to the one reported in ref. B. Police contacts report no increased activity or threats in reaction to the events. Post will continue to monitor the situation. At this time post recommends no change in warden message.

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